

Annex

Letter dated 10 September 2001 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1343 (2001) concerning Liberia addressed to the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Liberia

On behalf of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1343 (2001) concerning Liberia, I have the honour to refer to your letter of 11 June 2001 (S/2001/593, enclosure). I wish to inform you that the Committee has considered carefully the contents of your letter. The Committee notes, inter alia, your observation that the list of persons affected by paragraph 7 of resolution 1343 (2001) contains certain inaccuracies.

The Committee stands ready to make any necessary corrections to the travel ban list, taking into consideration any further information that your Government may wish to provide concerning the inaccuracies that you noted. The Committee also stands ready to consider appeals by individuals channelled through your Mission or through the Representative of the Secretary-General in Liberia. The Committee plans to update the travel ban list periodically.

I wish to assure you that in the conduct of its work the Committee has been guided only by the letter and spirit of resolution 1343 (2001). No other considerations have influenced the preparation of the travel ban list. The Committee is therefore unable to agree to your request that the list be suspended.

The Committee would also like to reaffirm its willingness to continue its policy of constructive engagement with your Government, including through your Permanent Mission to the United Nations, in carrying out its duties as mandated by resolution 1343 (2001).

(Signed) Kishore **Mahbubani**
Chairman

Security Council Committee established pursuant to
resolution 1343 (2001) concerning Liberia
